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1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED GOG DIPLOMATIC NOTE
NUMBER 1561 REQUESTING THAT FOLLOWING MESSAGE BE
TRANSMITTED TO MR. RICHARD W. ROBERTS, DIRECTOR OF
INTERNATIONAL BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES,
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20234.

QUOTE. THE DOCUMENTS WHICH YOU FORWARDED TO US WITH
METEOROLOGICAL DATA ARE IN ENGLISH WHICH WE HAVE
DIFFICULTY TRANSLATING.

THEREFORE CONFORMING TO THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF
THE INTERNATIONAL LEGAL METEOROLOGICAL ORGANISATION
A MEETING BETWEEN OUR TWO NATIONAL INSITITUDES WOULD BE
DESIRABLE TN ORDER TO REINFORCE OUR BILATERAL RELATIONS.
END QUOTE.

2. EMBASSY COMMENT: EMBASSY CONTACTED BY MR. CONDE
OF GOG SOCIETE NATIONALE DE LA METEOROLOGIE (SNM)
CONCERNING TRANSLATION OF SUBJECT DOCUMENTS. EMBASSY
WAS NOT AWARE OF DIRECT CORRESPONDENCE BWTWEEN GOG
METEOROLOGICAL SOCIETY AND U.S. BUREAU OF WEIGHTS
AND MEASURES. WOULD APPRECIATE AF/W CONTACTING BUREAU OF
STANDARDS TO REQUEST EMBASSY BE INFORMED OF SUCH COMMUNICATIONS
IN ORDER TO AVOID PROBLEMS AND CONFUSION.

3. REGARDING REQUEST FOR MEETING, THIS IS
OBLIQUE REQUEST FOR TRAVEL GRANT. EMBASSY NOTES
THAT CU ALREADY SPONSORING MR. NOUHOU TATA DIALLO
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AN SNM EMPLOYEE WHO WILL BE ATTENDING ERTS SEMINAR

AT SIOUX FALLS, S.D. EMBASSY SUGGESTS THAT WE FORWARD, WITH
DEPARTMENT'S APPROVAL, NOTE TO GOG REQUESTING AN ADDITIONAL ORDER
OF MISSION FOR MR.DIALLO, AND HAVE CU PROGRAM A MEETING OR SERIES
OF MEETINGS BETWEEN MR. DIALLO AND MR. ROBERTS'S STAFF.
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